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SUBJECT:DAILY ACTIVITY REPORTS FROM THE PRINCIPALS, TUESDAY,  
DECEMBER 7

1. FOLLOWING ARE THE DAILY ACTIVITY REPORTS FROM THE  
PRINCIPALS FOR TUESDAY, DECEMBER 7. T, M, C DID NOT SUB-  
MIT.

FROM CHARLES W. ROBINSON

THE SOVIET MARITIME NEGOTIATOR OFFERED A COMPROMISE ON  
THE TWO KEY ISSUES IN THE U.S./SOVIET MARITIME NEGOTIATIONS  
TODAY, BUT HIS PROPOSALS FELL SHORT OF OUR MINIMUM  
REQUIREMENTS. I ARRANGED WITH BRENT SCOWCROFT FOR HIM TO  
CALL DOBRYNIN AND REITERATE USG POSITION AND EMPHASIZE THE  
LINKAGE BETWEEN SOVIET ACCESS TO U.S. COURTS AND ASSURANCE  
OF U.S. SHIPS OBTAINING, 1/3 BULK CARGOES.

MAC TOON AND I MET AGAIN TO GO OVER THE PROBLEMS WE HAVE  
WITH THE SOVIETS AND OUR MARITIME DISCUSSION WHICH, AS YOU  
KNOW, INVOLVE QUESTIONS OF THE WHEAT AGREEMENT AND USE OF  
U.S. BOTTOMS. I FELT IT IMPORTANT THAT TOON BE FULLY AWARE  
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OF THE HISTORY OF THESE NEGOTIATIONS SINCE THIS IS AN  
ISSUE WHICH WILL STILL BE ALIVE WHEN HE REACHES POST.

I MET WITH OPEC PRESIDENT AND INDONESIAN MINISTER OF MINES

SADLI TO EMPHASIZE OUR CONCERN ABOUT A POSSIBLE INCREASING OIL PRICES. SADLI RAISED COPPER PRODUCERS CONCERNS ABOUT THE CURRENT LOW PRICE OF COPPER. I SAID THE TIME HAD COME TO REVIEW THE COPPER SITUATION IN RATIONAL ECONOMIC TERMS NOT IN THE HIGHLY CHARGED POLITICAL ATMOSPHERE SOUGHT BY THE UNCTAD SECRETARIAT. SADLI UNDERSTOOD OUR POINTS BUT WAS NON-COMMITTAL ON BOTH ISSUES.

ALSO DURING THE DAY: CHAIRED AFRICA GROUP, MET WITH PRESS SPOKESMAN TRATTNER AND ATTENDED THE VICE PRESIDENT'S LUNCHEON FOR ANDREOTTI, AS WELL AS ANDREOTTI'S EVENING RECEPTION.

P - PHILIP C. HABIB

THE TURKISH AMBASSADOR REQUESTED TO SEE ME ABOUT THE SECURITY COUNCIL DEBATE ON UNFICYP. THE TURKS DO NOT WISH TO SEE ANY REFERENCE TO GA ACTION WITH REGARD TO CYPRUS BROUGHT INTO THIS DEBATE. I SAID THAT THIS WAS ALSO OUR POSITION BUT WE COULD NOT CONTROL WHAT OTHERS DID.

I MET WITH AMBASSADOR TOON FOR A BRIEF DISCUSSION OF HIS VIEWS ON PROSPECTS FOR AN ARAB-ISRAELI SETTLEMENT.

I HOSTED A LUNCHEON TODAY FOR INDONESIAN MINISTER OF MINES, DR. SADLI. ZARB, KATZ AND I EMPHASIZED THE SERIOUS POLITICAL AND ECONOMIC CONSEQUENCES OF ANY SIGNIFICANT OPEC OIL PRICE RAISE. WHILE FRIENDLY, SADLI WAS, AS WE EXPECTED, NON-COMMITAL.

GENERAL VESSEY, CINCUNC IN KOREA, CAME BY THIS AFTER-NOON FOR A BRIEF DISCUSSION. I FILLED HIM IN ON SOME OF THE BACKGROUND TO THE KCIA CASE HERE. HE TOLD ME THAT THE KOREAN MILITARY HAVE STUDIOUSLY AVOIDED BRINGING THE CASE UP WITH HIM OR HIS SENIOR OFFICERS.

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DAVID DEAN, THE USLO DCM, CAME BY FOR A COURTESY CALL AND DISCUSSION ON CHINA.

HAYDEN WILLIAMS OF THE ASIA FOUNDATION DISCUSSED WITH ME THE FOUNDATION'S BUDGETARY PROBLEMS AND ITS HOPE THAT THE DEPARTMENT AND AID WILL WORK OUT LONGER TERM FINANCIAL SUPPORT ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE FOUNDATION.

E - MR. ROGERS

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ITALY - ITKS AS THOUGH WE WILL HAVE SOMETHING TO ANDREOTTI TO COMFORT HIM ON HIS TRIP HOME--ANTICIPATORY SWAPS, TO BE SPECIFIC. THEY WILL BE TRIGGERED

UPON THE REPRESENTATION OF THE HEAD OF THE IMF THAT THE  
FUND AND ITALY ARE ON THE EDGE OF AN AGREEMENT. SIMON'S  
PRESS RELEASE WILL SAY THAT WE ARE EXPLORING WAYS FOR  
TH US TO SUPPORT THE ITALIAN PROGRAM DURING ITS IMPL-  
MENTATION. SPECIFICALLY, THE ITALIANS NOW KNOW THAT THIS  
MEANS ABOUT A HALF BILLION OF ANTICIPATORY SWAPS. THEY  
WILL PROBABLY LEAK THIS FACT. WE SHOULD EXPECT SOME INFOR-  
MED STORIES IN THE NEXT SEVERAL DAYS SAYING AS SUCH. THIS  
IS FINE.

PORTUGAL - ED YEO INTENDS TO GO TO LISBON THIS WEEK-  
END, HOPEFULLY TO WRAP UP THE ASSISTANCE PACKAGE WITH THE  
PORTUGUESE.

UK - AS FOR THE STERLING BALANCES, WE WILL TALK TO  
THE GERMANS HERE IN THE NEXT DAY OR SO.

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